



Summer 9
25th June 2021



Godalming Junior School

Newsletter

"You can't use up creativity. The more you use, the more you have" - Maya Angelou

Latest News



A Year in Review at GJS

Mr Samson would like to invite parents to an online 'Year in Review' talk on **Wednesday 14th July @ 6.30pm** via Zoom to share reflections of the last 12 months, navigating GJS through the COVID pandemic and recovery plans from September. This will be an ideal opportunity to find out what the 'Comeback Curriculum' will look like at Godalming Junior School from September. Logging on details will be shared in the newsletter closer to the time. In the meantime, if you wish to attend, be sure to put the date in the diary.



Y5 Sports Day – Monday 28th June—Rescheduled date Reminder

Our delayed Y5 Sports Day has been rescheduled for this coming Monday 28th at 1.30pm. Parents will be notified in the morning should the weather be unfavourable!

Y6 PGL Trip – Monday 28th June – Drop off & Pick Up Reminder

We wish our Y6 pupils huge amounts of fun on Monday. This is a reminder that parents need to drop children at PGL Marchants Hill at 8.30am and pick up from the same location at 5.00pm. Further details have been sent via Parentmail.



Covid Testing Reminder

In response to the transmission of variants of concern, Public Health England (PHE) South East, is advising **all close contacts of COVID-19 cases** to get a full COVID-19 PCR test (ideally 5 days after exposure or day five of isolation) whether or not they have symptoms of coronavirus COVID-19. In addition, should your child or household member develop COVID symptoms, do not use the symptom-free LFD testing. Instead [book a PCR test](#) or call 119. Please refer to the email sent via Parentmail for further details.

House Points

Saturn	998
Neptune	889
Jupiter	886
Mars	848

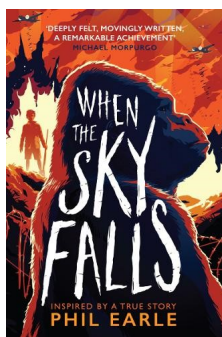
School Meals

Please remember to regularly check and top up your school lunch accounts. It is Surrey County Council policy that school meals should be paid for in advance. Please top up your account regularly via Parentmail and ensure all outstanding payments are made prior to the end of term. Many thanks.

Broadwater School Tours for Y5

Broadwater School are now running tours for Year 5 parents (up to 6 people) on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9:00am (Please phone Mrs Sonya Turpin for any queries or to book a tour on 01483 520622). Tours will take place on the following mornings: 24th & 29th June, 6th & 8th July and will resume again in September. **OPEN EVENING:** Thursday 7th October 2021; 6.00pm - 8.00pm

Waterstones Book of the Month



PTA News

Whilst we remain unable to plan and hold social fundraising events we continue to be very active supporting school by making funds available to enrich our childrens educational experience. In the next few weeks PTA funds will be used to subsidise free ice lollies for all children on their Sports Day. PTA funds will also be used to procure musical instruments, the year 6 First Aid course and year 6 leavers activities. We also have plans and budget in place for 2021/22 to continue helping with books for school, experiential educational workshops and digital cameras for each class. We are very much hoping that we can run a couple of outdoor events in September and plan to hold another sponsorship fundraiser. The money raised from last Autumns London Marathon themed sponsorship really helped contribute to the spend outlined above. Watch this space!

School Achievement

Pupil of the Week

3CM - Isaac
3SD - Marlowe
4EM - Ella-Rose & Macy
4GS - Cleo
5CJ - Emily
5EC - Mary
6JP - Charlie
6RH - Sam A



Attendance Winners: 4EM—99.7%

TRUST –Values Champions

3CM – Eva
3SD – Chloe
4EM – Thomas
4GS – Riley
5CJ – Sofia
5EC – Alexa
6JP – Tim
6RH – Josh



Sports News

Sports Day

We have enjoyed some wonderful sporting action this week with our Sports Days. It was lovely to see the children taking part and parents cheering them all on whole heartedly! The children took part in a series of skills races, field events and running races. It has been exciting to see which house will be overall winners. The results so far:

Saturn were victorious in Y6 on Tuesday

Neptune were winners in Y3 on Wednesday

Jupiter were triumphant in the Y4 event

The Year 5 afternoon has been postponed until Monday (weather permitting!!!) so the result for the overall champion is on hold for now!

Y6 Netball Players of the Week—Congratulations to Amelie B & Maya W

Diary Dates

Summer Term 2021

June

28th
28th—2nd July

Sports Day 1.30pm - Y5
Y6—Activities Week

July

12th—16th
13th & 15th
14th
21st
21st

International Week
Y6 End of Year Production—Charterhouse School
'Year in Review a GJS' Zoom Call
GJS Talent Show
End of term @ 1.15pm

Inset Days 2021/22

Wednesday 1st September 2021
Friday 22nd October 2021
Monday 21st February 2022
Tuesday 19th April 2022
Friday 27th May 2022